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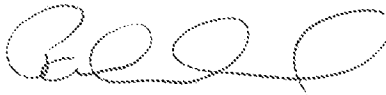
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), an extension of time of one (2) months (from May 23, 2007 to July 23, 2007) within which to respond to the Office Action dated February 23, 2007 is requested. Please charge the \$165 two month extension fee (\$225 two month extension fee less the \$60 one month extension fee submitted June 25, 2007) to Deposit Account No. 16-0631. Applicant is entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27. The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

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